

LEAD L.T.-OLDS., MONDAY JULY 30, 1962.

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**GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:**

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to the memory of a great Swedish soldier, Dwight  
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thunderbolt?" of The Thirty Years War? Subsidized by  
Boothman.  
Cardinal Richelieu, Gustavus Adolphus invaded Germany -  
and won some of the most brilliant victories in military  
history - he might have destroyed the Holy Roman Empire  
- if he hadn't been killed in action.

Before that, the Martial King of Sweden - had  
launched a brand new warship. The ill-dated "Vasa" -  
which sank at the start of her maiden voyage in Sixteen  
- Twenty-Eight. The hulk - discovered/floor of the sea  
on the  
- six years ago; raised, and now - a tourist attraction;

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## MORSE

The latest criticism of the Democrats in Congress - comes from a Democrat. A maverick Democrat, Morse of Oregon - who ~~used to be~~ <sup>once was</sup> a Republican, <sup>and</sup> Then - decided to switch, ~~parties~~. Morse, always an individualist - no matter which side of the aisle he's on.

The issue today - that communications bill, now up for debate on Capitol Hill. The administration is backing the measure - which would let private industry control artificial satellites. Leader of the opposition - Senator Morse, who thinks that everything in space should remain public property. Morse, criticising his party's leadership on the Hill. Asserting that House Democratic leader Mike Mansfield - "surrendered under pressure." Morse, <sup>also</sup> accusing the Democratic whip in the Senate, Hubert Humphrey, of "unethical tactics."

## AGRICULTURE

The Agriculture Department is investigating -  
the mystery of the missing grain. ~~quite a~~<sup>Q</sup> ~~big~~<sup>big</sup> mystery ←  
involving more than a million bushels of corn and soy<sup>a</sup> beans.  
The shortages, coming to light when inspectors examined  
warehouses - in Michigan, Ohio, Iowa and Illinois. The  
Agriculture Department is asking the courts to appoint  
receivers - for these warehouses. Secretary Freeman, already  
harrassed by the Estes case - ~~he~~ wants to solve the mystery  
of the missing grain. ~~Solve it~~ - in a hurry.

## TARIFF


Today's action in Paris shows why the economists are saying - that we'd better work out an agreement with the common market. The alternative - crippling competition for our products abroad. Now we face that competition in plastics and synthetic fabrics - because the French have increased their tariffs by forty percent. The move, retaliation for - a previous hike in American tariffs.

A key problem of the west - to develop cooperation instead of competition between the common market and the United States.

ALGERIA

The Algerian election scheduled for August twelfth, won't be held - for a rather obvious reason. No candidates - no one filing to run for office. The present crisis, making it impossible - for the parties to begin political action. So far, they haven't been able to agree on their own leadership - much less on candidates to present to the electorate.

What about the crisis? ~~That~~ personal conflict - between Ben Khedda and Ben Belia? It's almost over - according to reports from Algeria. Ben Khedda is urging all the Algerian leaders - to convene in Algiers. And Ben Bella says he's ready to help form - a government for the coming Algerian Algeria.

So, <sup>it</sup> Looks as if <sup>an</sup> ~~the~~ election will be held <sup>later on,</sup> ~~although~~  
not on time. 

ADD ALGERIA

Meanwhile ~~but~~ from the mountains of Algeria <sup>comes</sup> - more sinister

news. Ben Bella's troops, said to have arrested his most

resolute opponent - Vice Premier Mohamad Bourdiah. <sup>all of which</sup> ~~leading~~

<sup>May mean</sup> ~~to the fears of~~ another split at the top. One that could

erupt into - civil war.

HELSINKI

In Helsinki, no one seems to know exactly how many delegates to the Red-sponsored youth festival ~~have~~ defected. One rumor says that seven East Germans are asking for asylum - along with a number from Eastern Europe. One estimate puts the total number at - ~~more~~ more than twenty.

~~However~~ Defection is not the problem - as far as the Finnish capital <sup>itself</sup> is concerned. Its the violence - surrounding the party-lining conference. Delegates were attacked last night, and again today - by anti-Communists. Tonight, a rioting crowd in downtown Helsinki - had to be dispersed with tear gas.

The tension, growing - because a lot of Finns don't like Red propaganda, <sup>all the</sup> ~~or the parrots~~ <sup>they are getting, and the so-called</sup> ~~who say they~~ <sup>peace talk from men who</sup> ~~represent peace.~~ <sup>And</sup> really represent - the Kremlin.



## EARTHQUAKE

The earthquake that rocked Colombia today - the worst in ten years. The area from Bogota to Cali - a radius of over three hundred miles; - severe tremors that lasted five minutes. In both cities, buildings shook so violently - that thousands of office workers poured into the streets; and many pedestrians were cut by - flying glass from countless shattered windows.

Another earthquake in the towering andes, the cordillera of Colombia.

## SHAH

The Shah of Iran is in Kabul, Afghanistan tonight - not too far from what used to be the wild Northwest Frontier of India. Kabul, "beyond the Khyber Pass" - title of a book I wrote years ago. The Khyber, traditional gateway to the lush sub-continent of Hindustan. The Khyber, scene of critical battles - ever since the days of Darius and his ancient Persians - and since Alexander the Great passed that way. The Khyber, legendary - in the lore of Kipling.

Iran is Persia - but the present Shah did not arrive in Afghanistan at the head of an army, as did so many of his predecessors. Mohammed Reza Pahlevi is on a peaceful mission to Kabul. He's there to try and mediate a border dispute between Afghanistan and Pakistan. That's about as high as you can go - when you want someone to settle a point at issue. After all, who outranks the heir to the Peacock Throne - the

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Afridis, Mohmands and Mahsuds will be impressed by the  
Persian Shah of Shahs?

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## PARACHUTE

In Hyannis, Massachusetts, Lois Proppen said today - "that's the last time I hit the silk." Her decision - not at all surprising. But it is surprising that she's here at all.

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Then, at terrific speed, she hit the surface of Mystic Lake. The water - the only thing that saved her. I still don't understand it. Wonder if she went in feet first? Anyhow she was pulled out and hustled off to the hospital and today Lois was released. The gal parachutist - who was let down by her parachute and lived - to tell the tale. She repeated today that in the future "hitting the silk" for her will mean silk sheets maybe, but not silk chutes! Dick.

BASEBALL

About the all star game - did it seem to you like the old days? The days when the American League - used to clobber the National League? That hasn't happened - in recent years. But <sup>it did</sup> ~~it~~ happen <sup>- in Chicago,</sup> today. Ralph Houk's warriors, spotting Fred Hutchinson's - a one-run lead. Then, unlimbering their big bats - bombarding the opposing pitchers. The biggest hits - those booming homers by Pete Runnels of the Red Sox, Leon Wagner of the Los Angeles Angels, and Rocky Colavito of the Detroit Tigers. The National League, helping the massacre - with four horrendous errors; And two <sup>bad</sup> ~~past~~ balls by pitcher Juan Marishal. Final score - nine to four. The American League <sup>walking away with this one,</sup> ~~outclassing the National League.~~